## THE FERTILIZER TAX.

JUDGE SEYMOUR OF THE U. S. COURT DECIDES THAT IT IS LEGAL.

The Injunction Dissolved and the Bill Dismissed-An Important Decision to Virginia Companies.

entence of the Richmond Dispatch.)

RALEIGH, N. C., September 26,-Judge of the Federal Court, to-day opinion in the notable case inthe locality of the tax of 25 cents : commercial fertilizers imposed by ax is legal. The case, which was a cano Company against the Board of Agri-The court two years ago, in the The court two years ago, in the of the American Fertilizer Company at the beard, decided that the annual least ax of \$500 on each brand of was unconstitutional. The Leguslathen repealed that act and imposed that the tax is a regulation of State commerce. The answer by the is that it is an inspection law, company then claimed that the series to that it is not that the fact and it the Court to direct an instant to see whether the amount is note than is needed, and a Court to direct an into see whether the amount is expressly imposed as an inix. In fact, a doubt is expressed thority of the power of United tis to pass upon the subject of imposition is too large for the expenses of inspection. The Agriculture states that the funnace-tax collected in 1891, and that \$24,000 will be all collected in 1892 and that 350

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CENTRAL DISTRICT.

statoes, and turnips have been by the general rains which pro-ding the middle of the week and ve put land in condition for a Cotton is short crop every-Muca tobacco has been cut and ut some is still standing. The act of the week was very warm, parted Aubarn, 0.60 inch: Oak (09; Chapel Hill, 0.80; Saxon, maboro', 1.48; Raleigh, 1.43. WESTERN DISTRICT.

wistens district on the color and fell in this district on the color which has enabled farmers to hand for winter wheat and oats, opening fast, and most of it will uch earlier than usual. Farmers saving fodder and curing tobaccopiaces. Most crops will be short was expected. The nights have arily cool enough for frosts in the as. Rains reported: Mt. Pleasant, and Sainsbury, 2.41; Baily, 2.16; thes: Salisbury, 2.41; Batly, 2.16; tts, 1.74; Davidson, 1.35; Horse 55; Dallas, 1.87.

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Special telegram to the Dispatch.]

Oxford, N. C., September 26.—A joint discussion between Hon. A. H. A. Williams, Democratic, and Thomas Settle. Republican candidate for Congress, took place here today. The discussion was earnest and animated, but free from performances, williams spoke with force and eloquence, and his friends are jubilant and compatulate him on his able effort. He redeemed the district from the hands of the Republicans two years ago, and by high personal character, magnetic manners, and great sagacity is a formidable singonist on the stump and at the poils. His friends are proud of him and consider him invincible. Mr. Settle made very enthusiastic speech and spoke with fluency. Williams pressed him for an answer as to whether he would if elected vote for Tom Reed for Speaker. He answered evasively by saying he did not know whether he would or not; that Mr. keed was not now a candidate. The question was a hard out for Mr. Settle to crack, as Casar Reed is very unpopular in this section.

above the hilltops in grandeur and beauty. Fully 1,000 people assembled in the tabernacle at the morning service. There was a much larger crowd in the afternoon, and at night the audience was still larger. Mr. Fife is an earnest worker, and doubtless great good will be accomplished. All business will be suspended here daily from 10 to 12. Even the bar-rooms all closed to-day and the liquor-dealers were out to hear the great evangelist. A great many more men than women attend the services here, and Mr. Fife commented on that fact this morning, saying it was the first time in all his evangelistic work he had ever visited a town where the men were in the majority in the meetings.

THE CONTRACT LET.

MESSRS. BURTON AND CHESTERMAN TO BUILD THE STATE LIBRARY.

Their Bid the Lowest of the Eight Submitted—Description of the Building as Planned.

The Board of Commissioners of the State Library Building, consisting of the Governor, Auditor, Mayor, Second - Auditor Ryland. Secretary-of-the-Commonwealth

in the meetings. A Good Colored Man at Rest.
[Correspondence of the Richmond Dispatch.]
NEWNIENE, N. C., September 25.—The funeral of Robert R. Green (colored) took place this afternoon from St. Cyprian's church. The decessed was 87 years old, the father of thirty-one children, a barber by trade, and an exemplary member of the Episcopal Church for over fifty years.
Robert enjoyed the esteem of all who knew him, and a large number of white people attended the funeral services, which were most touching in character. A good man has gone to rest.

Flournoy, and Treasurer Har yesterday and opened the bids for struction of the building. The struction of the building A Good Colored Man at Rest

TURE AND DIAMOND. Winning Horses Yesterday at Gravesen and Elsewhere-Ball Results.

(By telegraph to the Dispatch.)
GRAVESEND, N. Y., September 26.—First race—one mile—Parvenu won; Roller second, Laughing Water third, Time, 1:45%, Second race—six furlongs—Marcellus won; Philanthropist second, Vespasian third. Time, 1:19.

Third race—one and one-quarter miles.— Second race—six furiongs—Marcellus won: Philanthropist second, Vespasian third. Time, 1:19.

Third race—one and one-quarter miles— Banquet won: Willie L. second, Reckon third. Time, 2:00%.

Fourth race—six furlongs—Mordotte won: Lyceum second, Lallah third. Time, 1:1645.

lected in 1892, and that 350 Kildeer won: English Lady second, Major Daly third. Time, 1:51.
Sixth race—six furlongs—Chesapeake won: Stonenail second, Evanatus third.

Fourth race—six and one-half furlongs— Hariem won; Montreal second, Prince Edward third. Time, 1:27%. Fifth race—six and one-half furlongs— Luray won; All Black second, Addie B. third. Time, 1:26%. Sixth race—five furlongs—Sister Ione

Sixth race-five furlongs-Sister Ione won: Greenbay second, Treylanger third, Time, 1:05/2.

CINCINNATI, September 28.—The track at Latonia to-day was about three or four se-conds slow to the mile because of recent First race—seven furlongs—Pendleton con; Portuguese second, Eolem third.

won; Portuguese second, Eolem third, Time, 1.32%. Second race—one and one-sixteenth nulles Laura Doxey won; Tom Tough se-cond, Little Annie third. Time, 1.52%. Third race—one mile—Tascow won; Banner second, General Miles third. Time,

Fourth race-six furlongs-St. Cyr won lime, 1:19%. Fifth race—four and one-half furlongs-King Leo won; Say On second, Hinman third, Time,  $58^{1}_{4}$ ; Sixth race—one mile—Readina won; Vir-gie Johnson second, Lady Useful third.

Time, 1:45.

Boston. September 26. — The Bostons played nearly a perfect fielding game to-day, but Brooklyn was ahead on base-hits. Brooklyn earned six of the runs, while Boston earned none. Stivetts pitched the eight timing, but the game was lost. The features were stops by Nash and Daly and Grading but the game was lost. The features were stops by Nash and Daly and Griffin's batting. Weather, fair. Attend-Griffin's batting. Weather, Iar. Attendance, 500. Score:
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Batteries—Nichols, Stivetts, and Ganzel;
Stein and Kinslow.

CORB HIT FREELY. CORD HIT FREELY.

Ballimone, September 26.—Baltimore could not touch Rusie, and but for vile throws to first by Fuller, Knowles, and Doyle the Ortoles would have been shut out. Cobb was hit freely, but the New Yorks ran bases with poor judgment. Weather cold and windy. Attendance,

Baltimores....0 1 0 0 0 0 0 4 0-5 6 3 New Yorks... 0 0 1 0 2 0 3 2 0-8 13 5 Batteries- Cobb and Gunson; Rusie and Boyle. PHILADELPHIA WINS EASILY.

openly saving that the Renot force them to vote for an the many counties in sublican tickets are in the are almost unanimously in the up straight Republican to the last moment.

Signers of Mitchell county and for the unknown man of Orders to be does in the cool. Attendance, 85%. Score:

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A HARD-FOUGHT CONTEST CINCINNATI, September 26.—Latham's error in the decisive inning gave Cleveland the victory after a hard-fought teninning contest. Attendance, 1,600. Score:

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CHICAGO WHITEWASHED,

LOUISVILLE, September 6. — Louisville gave the Chicagos a heavy coat of kalsomine to-night. Claussen was invincible. Wea-ther cool. Attendanc, 500. Score:

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A PITCHERS' BATTLE.

At Birmingbam: 1, n, n, E, Birmingbams . 0 1 0 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 7 3 Chattanoogas...3 3 0 0 1 0 0 2 x -9 4 3

THE THIRD GAME RESULTS IN A TIE. No Brilliant Playing on Either Side-Foster's Fine Two-Bagger-The Score.

(Special telegram to the Dispatch.)

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Petersburg, Va., September 26.—The third game of the series of games between the Forest Hill and the nome base-ball teams was played this afternoon and resulted in a tie, the score standing 8 to 6 at the end of the ninth inning, when the game was called by Umpire Deshon on account of darkness. The game did not abound in any very brilliant plaving, both sides making a goodly rumber of errors. The first runs were in the second inning, when the home team made two runs: in the third inning the home team made another. In this inning the Forest-Hills had three men on bases and Foster was at the bat. He struck the ball for a clear two-bagger, bringing the runners home and tying the score. Two runs were made by the home team in the sixth and another in the seventh. In the eighth the Forest-Hills scored three more runs and tied the score.

Battaries—Ousrles and Keefer: Merchant

Batteries—Quarles and Keefer: Merchant and Thomas: Belcher and Foster. Struck out—Quarles, 14: Merchant, 1; Belcher, 1. Base-hits—Off Quarles, 8; off Merchant, 7; off Belcher, 3. Base on balls—Quarles, 4; Merchant, 8; Belcher, 2.

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Drommer File's Weldon Meeting. [Correspondence of the Richmond Dispatch.]

Willow, N. C., September 26.—Rev. W. Mernos, N. C., September 26.—Rev. W. Mernoed a ten-days' meeting at the People's Tubernacle here yesterday. The commenced a ten-days' meeting at the People's Tubernacle here yesterday. The commenced a ten-days' meeting at the People's Tubernacle here yesterday. The commenced a ten-days' meeting at the People's Tubernacle here yesterday. The commenced a ten-days' meeting at the People's Tubernacle here yesterday. The commenced a ten-days' meeting at the People's Tubernacle here yesterday. The commenced a ten-days' meeting at the second of the triumphs never and the morning sun lifted its beaming face. They Don't Dauce Forever.

nor, Auditor, Mayor, Second - Auditor Ryland, Secretary-of-the-Commonwealth Flournoy, and Treasurer Harman, met yesterday and opened the bids for the con-struction of the building. The contract was awarded to W. O. Burton and W. A. Chesterman, of this city, they being the lowest bidders. There were eight bidders,

Prank N. Carver, Washington, D. 173,480 00 175,293 95 Valentine, Brown & Co., Wilming-M. T. Lewman & Co.....

The contract will be drawn up immediately and ground for the new structure will be broken in a few days. DESCRIPTION OF THE BUILDING.

The building will be situated on the eastern side of the Capitol Square, and will be L-shaped. It will front to the west, the front line commencing at a point just above the Governor's stables and running south, approximately, 118 feet. The wing will run back through the executive garden toward Governor street 151 feet. The style of the building will be Roman Ionic of the most classical period, as illustrated by the best examples of the Greek artists brought captive to Rome. The materials of the exterior will be buff brick and buff terra-cotta upon a stylohate of marble or DESCRIPTION OF THE BUILDING. terra-cotta unon a stylobate of marble or granite. The main entrance fronting west will be decorated in an artistic manner in imposing inter-columnations, crowned by Imposing inter-columnations, crowned by a pediment with generous architrave freize and cornice, and in the pediment will be introduced in stone relief the coatof-arms of the State. The nivet formed by the portico and north buttress will have a large, columnated double-story window, carrying under the arch the sign "Virginia State Library," and a similar window will relieve the south front.

THE INTERIOR.

The interior of the building will be constructed of strictly fire-proof material, consisting of steel beams, trusses, and other metal-work and terra-cotta.

The first two stories will accommodate the State officers now in the basement of the Capitol, the Supreme Court of Appeals, and law library, the Attorney-General, the Adjutant-General, the Superintendent and law library, the Attorney-General, the Adjutant-General, the Superintendent of Public Instruction, the Commissioner of Agriculture, etc. The State Library will occupy the greater part of the third story. The library-room proper will be complete in all of its appointments and contain the most approved furniture in the shape of book-racks, shelving &c. Economy of space and convenience have been carefully studied. Attached to the library-room will be a reading-room fitted up for those who may desire to read and study. The building will be steam-heated and equipped with elevator service, and the sanitary arrangements will be as perfect as possible. In its entire ty it will guarantee the absolute security of the valuable State archives and collection of books.

THE CONTRACTORS. The contractors are both Richmond can

The contractors are both Richmond gentlemen, who have, as required by the terms of the contract, demonstrated their ability to erect large structures. There remains to be appointed a clerk of the work—or in other words, an inspector of all the materials that go into the building—and it is understood that this appointee will also be one of our own people.

Mr. Poindexter, the architect, expressed himself last night as very much pleased with the bid. The fund set apart for the building amounts to \$200,000, and Messrs. Burton and Chesterman's figures will permit of the erection of a much handsomer building than was called for in the plans. One item of improvement will be the construction of the stylohate story of stone instead of brick.

MONTAGUE ON THE ISSUES.

Before the Union Club. A tremenduous crowd assembled at Powell's Hall list night, and after the transaction of routine business by the Union Democratic Club speaking was in-dulged in. The first speaker introduced

dulged in. The first speaker introduced by President Cullingworth was the young orator, R. L. Montague, Esq., a worthy successor of his father, the "Red Fox," of

Mr. Montague compared the constant of Harrison and Cleveland, giving one of Harrison for his racogthe latter the highest praise for his recog-nition of the people of the South in his Cabinet offices and in the diplomatic ser-vice, Harrison had entirely discriminated against our section, and his claims for against our section, and his claims for great morality were based on hypocricy, as is evidenced in his advocacy of the force bill and in many other things of a politi-cal character. Mr. Montague told an anec-dote to illustrate his position. He gave a history of the billion-dollar Congress and of the many frauis, like the Credit-Mo-bilier, &c., which had characterized their

The speaker portrayed the efforts of the The speaker portrayed the efforts of the Democratic party from the close of the war, paying deserved eulogies to Horato Seymour, Tilden, Hancock, and Cleveland, and the success of the latter, whose honesty, integrity, and ability were the applause of the world. Mr. Montague then discussed the tariff and the navigation laws. The torce bill came in for a just criticism, and the young speaker closed his speech, having been liberally applauded during its delivery.

The club accepted an invitation to take part in the grand rally to be held at Cold Harbor on October 4th, and will be escorted by the Scouts with a brass band of

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"BACKBONE" FROM THE WORD "GO." Rev. Thomas Dixon Delivers a Forcible

Lecture on this Subject. Rev. Thomas Dixon, Jr., delivered his famous lecture on "Backbone" at the Young Men's Christian Association fast night, and for nearly two hours the talented young orator held his hearers spell-bound with his eloquence. There were many counter-attractions to draw aside the unblic, but despite this fact a large crowd assembled to hear the lecturer, and all were more than pleased with his calall were more than pleased with his ad-

Mr. Dixon himself is a magnetic man. Mr. Dixon himself is a magnetic man. Tall, slender, and wiry in figure, yet striking in face, the speaker appears to gather strength as he talks and reaches the very hearts of his hearers. At times he is intensely vigorous, and then almost in a word he can be profoundly tender or exquisitely beautiful in his language.

By "backbone" Mr. Dixon means moral power—strength of will—and in his lecture he exhorts his hearers to stand firm amid adversity, and to be most courageons when courage, by force of circumstances, is prone to be farthest away. He fills his lecture with humorous anecdotes, all

A Committee from the Albany Church

Meet Rev. Dr. Kerr.

On Monday night of last week Rev. Dr. Kerr, of the First Presbyterian church, much to the gratification of his own congregation and the citizens of Richmond generally, declined the call to the pastorate of the Dutch Reformed church in Albany, N. Y. The Albany congregation, however,

The Albany congregation, however, would not take no for an answer, but renewed the call and appointed a committee to press it. That committee arrived here on the fast mail yesterday afternoon, and after being in conference with Dr. Kerr for several hours left for home on the 7 o'clock train. They were very earnest in urging Dr. Kerr to reconsider his declination. He did not give the committee a definite answer, but it may be stated that he regards the cuestion of his leaving his present charge as having been again opened by the action of the Albany congregation.

gregation.

Last night Dr. Kerr had not decided what he would do, but it is hoped that he will affirm his original decision. 'A called meeting of the Military Cinb was held last night at the Regimental Armory, with Captain L. D. Crenshaw, the president, in the chair. Captain D. A. Kurk, assistant surgeon of the regiment, and Lieutenant C. A. Rose, of the Ashby Light Horse, were elected members of the

"Julius Cæsar" Finely Played Last
Night Before a Large Audience.
Frederick Warde and Louis James produced "Julius Cæsar" at the Theatre last night. A magnificent audience greeted them. When the curtain rose every seat in the house was filled, from the orchestra rail to the topmost gallery. The orchestra was a blaze of color, for though the earliness of the season forbade evening dresses there were many brilliant demi-toilets and flowers were delightfully abundant. The classic play to be presented had attracted many who are seldom seen at theatreal exhibitions, and, indeed, a more cultured and refined audience has rarely assembled in a Richmond play-house.

The expectation of pleasure which doubtless was prosent in every mind was fully realized, for the performance was in many ways remarkable; and it may not be out of place to say that it will rank with any presentation of "Julius Cæsar" ever witnessed outside of New York. This play is unquestionably one of the most moral and intellectual of Shakespeare's works; its lines are noble and lofty, its theme is the triumph of unseifish patriotism over personal ambition, and not once does it descend from the sublime to the ridiculous. For this reason it has not been a "popular" play, although one of the greatest of English dramas.

Mr. Warde was the Marc Anthony—an admirable selection, for the character of the florid, impetuous Roman demagogue gave him ample play for his vehement impulsiveness. He received the ovation that the people of this city annually accord him. His every utterance was marked by more or less applause, and his declamations were received with great bursts of enthusiasm. After the third act the English actor was forced to respond four times to a curtain call, and finally responded with one of those happy little speeches that are characteristic of him.

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Mr. James was given the great part of the play—that of Brutus—and he appeared to greater advantage than in any role of his that can now be recalled. He gave to the character the calminess, the dignity, the nobility that made it meet that the victorious Anthony should exclaim. Thus was the noblest Roman of them all!! He displayed in the closing scenes of the drama a wonderful amount of reserve torce, and in the scene at Sardia impressed. displayed in the closing scenes of the drama a wonderful amount of reserve torce, and in the scene at Sardis impressed the audience with his power and tragic intensity. At the conclusion of the act he was given an ovation equal to that extended to Mr. Warde, and after responding to four curtain-calls was compelled to give the audience his thanks in a brief

The Cassius was air. Herman, a line of actor and a worthy peer of either James or Warde. The violent, cheleric Italian, so firm in his friendships, so determined in his hates, had an able delineator in this strong actor. The interview between Brutus and Cassius at Sardis was an exceptionally fine scene, and was without question the best thing in the production. Indeed it would be difficult to conceive of a better presentation of the settire fifth better presentation of the entire fifth

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Mr. Turner, Mr. Kyle, and the other
tembers of the company rendered admitible support to the principals, and the
freet of the play was much intensified by

the beautiful stage settings.

To-night the beautiful romantic play
"The Lion's Mouth" will be presented.
Mr. Wurde made a deep impression here
last year in the character of Rinaldo,
which he plays to-night, Mr. James will assume the strong character of Fra Angel which is said to be one of his best parts.

The City School Board held its monthly meeting in the High-School building last avening at 6 o'clock, with the following members present: Hon, J. Taylor Ellyson (chairman), Hon, William Loveustein, Edwin D. Starke, Alonzo L. Phillips, Joseph C. Dickerson, James H. Capers, and R. Edgar Shine. William F. Fox (superintendent), Charles P. Rady (supervisor), and Messrs, Guigon and Davis were absent from the city.

The superintendent submitted his regu-

was begun in the High and Normal schools on the 19th instant. The schools have been working regularly and smoothly since the opening. He gives the following figures: Number of schools, 29: 17 principals, 219 teachers, 10,257 purels. This shows that there are three more schools that there are three more schools that the product of Scasions is the principal start with him to day for Georgia, where the begus lord has ten years to serve for Chesabeake and Ohio than last year. The enrolment is 1.113 greater than the corresponding period of last year. The superintendent reported the resignation of Miss Sarah Simpson, of

the resignation of Miss Sarah Simpson, of Nicholson school.

The board took up the election of assistant principal of the High School, made vacant by the promotion of Mr. H. F. Cox to the principal's position of Valley School. The following gentlemen were applicants: James C. Harwood, S. D. Turner, Jr., Willis H. Parker, B. E. Goode, E. D. Webber, M. Blair Dickinson, Edgar C. Wingfield, J. A. Booker, and Miss Lee Wicker.

The board read carefully and considered the references and testimonials of all the applicants, and on motion of Mr. E. D. Starke unanimously elected Mr. Harwood, Mr. Harwood is an A. B. of Richmond Coilege, a graduate of the Richmond High School, and was very highly endorsed.

The board then placed Messrs, Turner and Parker on the reserve-list.

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Misses Bertha Flegenheimer, Alma Lind-ner, Fannie Angus, and Sallie Beach were placed on the white reserve-list and Mattie G. Willis on the colored reserve-list.

JUMPS THROUGH A CAR-WINDOW.

A Convict Being Brought to Prison Make a Desperate Leap for Liberty.

With his hands in irons and his feet fastened close together Frank Cole, a young white convict being brought to the penitentiary from Lynchburg, jumped through a closed car-window yesterday afternoon and came about as near being killed as he did to making his escape.

Cole, who is to serve nine years for burglary, was one of the three prisoners being brought down by Sheriff Jounson. When just this side of Lorrame station, which is about sixteen miles from Richmond, Cole asked the officer to bring him a drink of water, and as the Sheriff started toward the cooler the convict arose and toward the cooler the convict arose and putting his knees on the seat as best he could made a desperate leap through the window, breaking out the whole glass. A passenger sitting just behind Coie grabbed at him, but a cut hend was the only result.

was quite badly hurt and one hand cut, but he was not at all seriously injured, though the train was running about thirty miles an hour. Cole is a handsome man, of athletic build, and came to Lynchburg from Missouri some mouths ago. He cut through the wall from his room in a boarding-house and entered a hardware store, where he was captured nearly twenty-four hours later. He also endeavored to effect an entrance to Johnson's jeweiry store. The bold act created the wildest excitement in the Hill City.

The other convicts brought down by courage, by force of circumstances, is prone to be farthest away. He fills his lecture with humorous anecdotes, all cleverly recited, but always draws a fercible moral from them and pounds it by his incisive oratory into the ears—the very heads—of his hearers. He talks backbone from the word "go," and is himself a living exemphification of the subject which he discusses. His delivery is almost dramatic, as he has an excellent voice, while his gestures are equally as good.

Mr. Dixon was introduced to his audience by Rev. Dr. W. W. Landrum. He arrived in Richmond on the fast mail yesterday afternoon, accompanied by his wife, and they are the guests of Dr. Landrum.

RENEWED THEIR CALL.

He Got the Old Flag.

Colonel J. B. Parsons. of Dwight, Ill., but who during the war was a sergeant in the First Maine Heavy Artillery, is here with the Grand-Army visitors. While visiting Lee Camp Hall vesterday he made the offer that it the camp would give him an old United States flag in their possession he would present them with a new one. The offer was accepted. Colonel Parsons has the old flag in his possession, and will send the new one on his return home.

Speech and Banquet.

Napoleon Conneil, American Legion of Honor, was visited at its quarterly meeting last night by the grand commander of the State, Captain T. C. Morton, who made a very happy and encouraging address. After the business session, in which one caudidate was initiated, the members adjourned to Zimmermann's, where they enjoyed an excellent oyster-supper. This is the banner council of the State.

Andrews Fined and Sent to Jall. A.J. Andrews, who was arrested some months ago for making a malicious and felomous assault upon Justice Crutoufield, was tried in the Hustings Court yesterday. He was defended by Mr. R. R. Fauntierov, the Commonwealth being represented by Colonel Spotswood. It was after 2 o'clock last night when the jury brought in a verdict of six months in jail and \$100 fine.

Prosser Taylor (colored), charged with

Mr. B. C. Wherry has returned to the city after a few days' rest in the country.

Miss Rena Collins, of Caroline county, is visit-ng Miss Alma Harwood, of Church Hill. The First Virginia Regiment Sand, Mr. August Liese leader, has returned from White Sulphur. The regular meeting of the Indian Association has been postpoued until Tuesday of next week.

Mr. John W. Fergusson, one of the best-kr cific preferred and others.

TRADING STILL PROFESSIONAL.

The trading to-day was still strictly professional, but the uniformity of the upward movement attested the strength of the newly-aroused prudence on the part of the shorts. Northern Pacific preferred was litted nearly 2 per cent, and other favorites from 16 to 1 per cent, but with the satisfaction of the early demand the market sank again into extreme dulness, relieved here and there by spuris of activity and strength among the leaders. As a rile, however, the opening gains, which extended to 16 per cent, were slowly increased throughout the greater portion of the day, and the attempt at Reading hardly affected the rost of the list at all. averal days. Miss Emmie Wherry, who has been sp

Captain T. D. Wilson, of the Atlantic Coast line, after spending his vacation visiting the aerthern cities is at home. Judge Roger Gregory, of King William, has

Mr. Ralzo Manly, formerly a well-known resi ent of Richmond, but residing now in Kansas s visiting his sister, Mrs. Otla H. Russell.

Superintendent John R. Hooper, of Hellywood, oft yesterday for Washington to attend the As-ociation of American Cemetery Superintend-

The State Sunday-School Convention of all decommunitions meets at Roanoke to-day. Mr. C. Rady and several other Richmond Sunday. chool workers will be present.

Home to-night at So'clock. Six persons he professed conversion during these service which are very interesting and well attended. Coroner Taylor leaves for Yorktown to-morrow o testify in the case of Josephine Morris, charged with poisoning her husband last May. Dr. Tay-or found arsenic in the stomach of the de-

Mr. W. E. Roberts, of Towson, Md., formerly of dichmond College, was in the city yesterday. He tarted from home to see his mother, who was nite ill, and upon arriving here was advised of

The usual services were held in all the Catho-

ence was quite large.

Rey. Dr. Hoge occupied his own pulpit Sunday morning for the first time since his vacation. He delivered a powerful sermon to a large congegation. At high he preached at the first Presbyterian church, Dr. Kerr having preached for him in the afternoon.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.]

WILL-sell such STERLING QUALITIES at A. SAKS & CO.

BALTIMORS, September 26.—Baltimore and Ohio stock, 93 bid; Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern lats, 106 bid; consolidated gas bonds, 115 asked; do. stock, 594a60. such LOW PRICES as WE quote.



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of LIGHT-WEIGHT OVERCOATS

A. SAKS AND COMPANY,

Charles T. Friend, of East Richmond, left Saturday for Blacksburg College.

Mr. J. B. Shackelford, of the United States Ex-

The condition of Mr. Albert L. West, who has been quite ill for some time past, was considered very critical yesterday.

Miss Luis W. Borst, of Petersburg, after pending a delightful summer with relatives here, lett for home last week.

The Madison-Ward Democratic Club held meeting in the Chancery-Court room last nigh-but only routine business was transacted.

Mr. D. S. Thompson left Saturday night for Manchoster, N. H., as the Virginia representa-tive to the National Council, Junior Order United American Mechanics.

Mr. Marion Corbett, of Hampton, past grand master of the Independent Order of Odd-Fel-ows of Virginia, is the guest of his brother-in-ary, Mr. Thomas Cunningham, who celebrated its birthday last night.

the usual services were noid in all the Catho-churches or the city on Yunday, Hev. Father makes, paster of St. Patrick's church, eached au exceptionally fine sermen at high rea. The music was very good and the audi-ce was quite large.

While playing on the porch at Captain J. B. Angle's residence Sunday afternoon Winston Dabney, the 7-year-old son of Mr. Frank Dabney, fell and broke one of his arms. Dr. C. W. P. Brock set the injured limb, and yesterday the little fellow was doing quite well.

No other house DOES-EVER DID-or EVER

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Atlants and Chariotte 1st Ts. 117
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Atlanta and Chariotte. 85 RAILBOAD BONDS BANK STOCKS. Citizens..... .. 25 2814 INSURANCE COMPANIES. Virginia fire and Marine ... 25 30 Virginia State .... 25 ... Mischellangous. American Tobacco Company .... 10134 10234 GRAIN AND COTTON EXCHANGE. RICHMOND, September 26.—OFFERINGS—Wheat, 1,426 bushels. Corn. 1,250 bushels. Oats. 4,138 bushels. Mill-offal, 15 tons. Sales.—Wheat, 1,402 bushels. Corn, 1,250 bushels. Oats, 138 bushels. WHEAT.—Longbarry, 75a80c. Mixed, 73a80c. shortdorry, 70a70c. No. 2 red, 77a78c. Comm.—White, Virginia (prime), 88c; No. 2, white, 57a56c; No. 4, mixed, 56c. OATS.—Winter (for seed), 40a45c; No. 2, mixed, 53a36c. HYE.—BJa68c. QUOTATIONS

FLOUR.—We quote: Sine, \$2382.25; superfine, \$2.2582.50; extra, \$3.2583.50; family, \$3.50843.75; patout, \$4.50884.75. ST. LOUIS.

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September 26.—Flour firm. Wheat—
Options closed §6. up; cash. No. 2 red, higher at 70 %c.; september, 70 %c. bid; December, 73 %c. bid. Corn closed—October §6. up; May, §6. down; No. 2, cash higher at 43 %c.; October, 43 %at 33 %c. asked; year, 42 %c. asked; May, 45 %c. asked. Onto quiet and firm; No. 2, cash, 32 %c. bid; October, 30 %c.; May, 36 c. asked. Whiskey, \$1.20. Provisions very quiet. NEW YORK COTTON FUTURES. NEW YORK COPTON FOTURES.

NEW YORK, September 26.—Cotton—Net receipis, none; gross, \$,548 bales. Futures closed irregular and unsettle1, closing steady; sales, 257,600 bales; Coucher, \$7.8487.50; November, \$7.8387.54; December, \$7.78827.70; January, \$7.02; February, \$8.94488.94; March, \$8.40488.94; April, \$8.25488.26; May, \$8.31; June, \$8.40.

IS WOMAN TO HATE MAN? The Modern Woman Is So Independent It Looks That Way.

Are women learning to hate men? Such is the alarming question asked by a writer in *Hearth and Home*, who proceeds: "Of course, there have always been and will always be individual man-haters, just as there have always been and will always be individual women-haters. Some men are born bachelors, some women are created spinsters in the cradle, and they continue spinsters to the grave. The instinct of spinsterhood seems implanted in them. Men and the wavs and habits of men are uncongenial to them. Strength greater than their own ropeis them, manners different from theirs, habits which

THE WEATHER IN RICHMOND YESTERDAY WAS elear, cool, and pleasant. The skies were

Range of the thermometer at the front-

door of the Disparch office yesterday:

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

Alabama—Class A. 2 to 5......

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Desapease and Unio. 1st preferred... Thesapease and Unio. 2d preferred... Chicago, Burlington and Quincy....

BALTIMORE STOCK MARKET.

RICHMOND STOCK EXCHANGE.

1907, at 13316.
Closing quotations at the Stock Board:

STATE SECURITIES. 9814
North Carolina 4's. 9814
North Carolina 6's. 124
Virginia 6's. 003015. \$2
Virginia 3's. 003015. \$2
Virginia 3's. new, C. & R., 1932. 74
Virginia 00301 coupons, fundable.
Virginia cousoi coupons, non-tundable.

SALES .- 800 Richmond city 8 per cents, due

MONDAY, September 23, 1892,

NEW YORK, September 26 .- The stock mar tet to-day still showed a narrowing tendency, but the reactionary temper of Saturday had en-direly disappeared, and the covering of shorts went on uninterruptedly, though the demand was transferred from Reading to Northern Pa-

clear at midnight.

Midnight.

organization, and other business was transceled.

The club will meetagain Saturday night, and as several matters of great importance will be considered the members are especially asked to be present.

The Hanover Troop, who are now in the Street.

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Travel on the eastern portion of the Umon Passenger railway suffered slight interruption vesterday afternoon by reason of the street giving way under the track at Irwenty-first and Marshall streets, where a large Audience.

Frederick Warde and Lonis James produced "Julius Cessar" at the Theatre last night. A magnificent audience greeted them. When the curtain rose every seat in the hones was filled, from the orchestra rail to the topmost gallery. The or

A SWORDFISH KLLS A WHALE. The Fight Seen by Many Spectators at the Bay of Monterey.

(San Francisco Examiner.)

Visitors to Monterey were entertained recently by the sight of a duel between an immense whale and a swordfish, which ended fatally for the larger but more defenceless monster of the deep. The whale was first seen by a party of bathers one pleasant afternoon last week, and appeared to be enjoying himself by lazily swimming about the bay and occasionally sending a shower of spray aloft like that thrown up by a powerful fountain. The presence of the whale or some other cause seemed to frighten the small fish that abound in these waters, and great schools pressed closely inshore, the water in places near the beach being fairly alive with them, while the surface was kept agitated by their leaping into the air as though seeking to escape from some invisible enemy.

The whale followed the schools of fish inshore, when suddenly there was a tremendous splashing of the water, the great mammal was observed to move hurriedly hither and thither, while the contortions of his body and his strange actions convinced the observers that he was engaged in deadly combat with some other monster of the deep. It was a singular duel, and it lasted for some time. Nothing but the whale was visible his enemy never coming to the surface or within range of those who were watching the scene.

Finally the thrashing ceased, the water became calm, and then the whale was seen lying motonless upon the surface of the bay as if dead. This continued for some time, but after about an hour he seemed to revive, and after lashing the water for some time with his tail he headed for the outer bay, where he was subsequently seen by the aid of a glass to have resumed his motionless condition.

The following morning several persons searched the beach to see if they could find any trace of the previous darks or any energy and any trace of the previous darks or any energy and any trace of the previous darks or any energy and any trace of the previous darks or any energy and any trace of the previous darks or any energy and any trace (San Francisco Examiner.)

Nashville and Louisville, Barlington, Distillers, and Missouri Pacific were most prominent atter Northern Pacific preferred for strength, but late in the day Sugar was subjected to a short spurt, which lifted its price 1½ per cent. Other specialties, including Manhattan, were advanced sharpir, but the general list was content with smaller gains. Though the rise in Reading seems to have culminated, at least for the present, and there is an apparent lack of harmony among the parties to the coal combination, Lackawana was advanced among other slocks which were strong with extensive buying. seen by the aid of a glass to have resumed his motionless condition.

The following morning several persons searched the beach to see if they could find any trace of the previous day's combat, and they were rewarded by discovering the dead body of the whale high and dry on the rocks, only a short distance from Monterey. Some old whalers who were among the party of discovery were struck with the peculiar manner in which the mammal was lying. The body was considerably above low-water mark and the fins were extended, giving the impression that the whale had come ashore himself and afterwards died. It appears, according to the testimony of those versed in such matters, that a whale dying in the water has his fins close to his sides, and the position in which they were found lends color to the belief that the monster was still alive when it came ashore.

An examination of the body revealed the existence of several wounds on the under side, which were of a character such as could only have been inflicted by a swordfish and are conclusive proof that it was a duel between these two denizens of the deep that had been witnessed the previous afternoon.

The carcass measured 75 feet in length, and the blubber was removed and tried out. For several days the stranded whale was the centre of attraction for the entire country round about, and many hundreds of residents and tourists visited it.

DEATHS.

BRITTLE.—Died, September 25, 1892, at the residence of his parents, in Henrico county, JOSEPH WOODSON, infant son of Waiter L, and F. Estelle Brittle; aged 7 months and 14 days.

Go, little pilgrim, to thy home On yonder blissful shore: We miss thee here, but soon we'll come His funeral took piace at the above residence Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Interment was made in Oakwood come-

COLQUITT.-Died, Saturday, September 24th, at 10 P. M., at the residence of her parents, NANNIE A., eldest child of William A. and Julia R. Colquitt; aged 4

Funeral took place Sunday at 5 P. M. Fineral took place Sunday at 5 F. M.

FIRMKEN.—Died, at the residence of
his brother-in-law, Mr. Patrick Grace, 316
Denny street, MARTIN FIRMKEN, a
native of County Clare, Ireland,
His funeral will take place from 8t.
Patrick's church TUESDAY EVENING at 3
o'clock. Friends and acquaintances of the
tamily are respectfully invited to attend.\*

MARINE INTELLIGENCE. MINIATURE ALMANAC, SEPTEMBER 27, 1892.

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MEMORANDUM. New York, Soptember 26.— Arrived : An-choria, Glasgow ; Arizona and Nomadio, Liver-pool ; Saale, Bremen.

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A mother's hope, a father's joy,
In death's cold arm doth lie.

THORP.—Died, in Manchester, yesterday, at 5:30 P. M., W. A. THORP, in the 39th year of his age.

Fueral from Ridge church, Henrico county, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON at 3 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances invited to attend.

PORT OF RICHMOND, SEPTEMBER 26, 1832.

PORT OF NEWPORT NEWS, SEPT. 26, 1892. (By telegraph.)

(Hy telegraph.) Steamship Baltimore, Bennett, Baltimore, pas-sengers and general cargo. Steamship City of Atlanta, Dole, New York,

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